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Treatment of Infections Caused by
Flaviviridae, including Hepatitis C,
Bovine Viral Diarrhea, & Classical
Swine Fever

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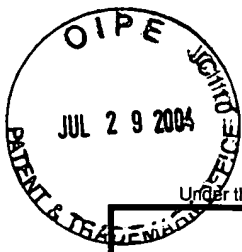
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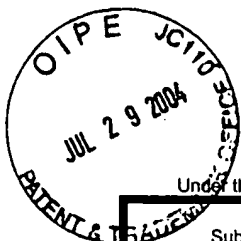
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